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Admiral Camara should come on over with that Cadiz fleet and let us take his picture.

President McKinley may send Col. Bryan 6,000 miles away, but the war will hardly last until 1900.

Capt. Miller, of the Merrimac, has been kept busy every since explaining why he didn't do it himself.

Up to the hour of going to press this morning, Gen. Miles had not soiled his new uniform with powder stains.

The steady decline in wheat continues, another drop of three cents being the feature of yesterday's business.

W. F. Harry has been removed as National Democratic Committeeman from Pennsylvania, and J. M. Griffily elected in his stead.

The Atlanta Constitution announces that "the end of Cervera is in sight." There will be no kicking at this.—Glasgow Times.

In spite of the frequent rumors that the 1893 cut in the wages of L. & N. employees would be restored July 1, no definite announcement has yet been made. The railroad men are, however, very hopeful that the restoration will be made.

The humble home of Lieut. Hobson's widowed mother at Greensboro, Ala., is mortgaged and the Mobile Register has started a popular subscription to lift the mortgage.

A cadet at Annapolis who was interviewed by the Chicago Record's staff correspondent says, Hobson was always considered cranky and eccentric with "wheels in his head." Hereafter he will have them in his pockets.

Now that Spain's ships are no longer to be considered as factors in the war, the proposition to send the Flying Squadron to the Canaries and perhaps to Cadiz is being seriously entertained at Washington.

The banks will all be caught by the decision for taxes, that will in Hopkinsville be increased from 75 cents to about \$2.50 for all purposes, running back to the adoption of the present constitution in 1891. To many of the cities of the State the back taxes will amount to many thousands of dollars.

Lieut. Carraza's brilliant exploits for Spain were brief and altogether harmless. His amateur spies were promptly detected and arrested and the Lieutenant himself now finds his personal liberty somewhat restricted. Go home, young man; and stay there.

Admiral Cervera's courtesy to the Merrimac prisoners has done much to alter the universal opinion that all Spaniards are destitute of gentlemanly instincts. Cervera is a thoroughbred and when we capture him we will feed him on the same grub that our great Gen. Miles fattens upon at the Tampa Bay Hotel.

In our advertising columns will be found an announcement of Ex-Senator John G. Ingalls' forthcoming book, entitled "America's War For Humanity." Canvassing agents will find it a book of remarkable interest, and certainly of extraordinary salability. The history of the war is told in picture and story, and in a way that characterizes the brilliant pen of Senator Ingalls. In narrating the incidents of this war he finds grand scope for his superb descriptive and analytical powers. The theme is worthy of the author, and the author is worthy of the theme. It is published by N. D. Thompson Publishing Co., of St. Louis, Mo. It will be a monumental work that will not only be everywhere read, but it will be a monument to his genius that will outlive in history his brilliant senatorial career. The subscription book trade and the canvassing agent are fortunate in the fact that an author of such rare ability has been enlisted in its interest.

## THE KNOCK-OUT BLOW.

Admiral Cervera is completely bottled in Santiago harbor. His fleet is innocuous to the United States and useless to Spain.

But Havana is untouched. Havana is the center—the very core—of Spanish power in Cuba. While Havana holds out Spain has hopes and the Spanish power has a stronghold in Cuba. The Cuban cause will not be won until Havana is taken.

The smashing of Havana's fortifications would strike Spain's vital spot. It would be a death blow both in a physical and moral sense to Spain's claim of sovereignty in Cuba.

Every day renders the work of reducing Havana more difficult. It is estimated that the defenses are 50 per cent. stronger now than they were when the war was declared. The Spaniards are energetically working to increase their strength.

Why not smash Havana at once? Why give the Spaniards time still further to improve their position? The navy can do the work. Why not deliver the knockout blow and end the war?

On to Havana!—Post Dispatch.

## ONLY TWO BATTALIONS.

Less Than a Regiment of the New Call Soldiers.

Frankfort, Ky., June 7.—Gov. Bradley has received a letter from Secretary of War Alger, in which the protest of the Kentucky officials against the reduction of Kentucky's quota is overruled.

The Secretary directs that the troops raised in this State under the second call be comprised in two battalions instead of a regiment, as asked.

The most significant result of this order is the shake-up caused in the official slate made up by the governor when a full regiment was completed. Congressman Colson and Hon. H. D. Murray, who would have been made colonels, will now have to be satisfied with majorships, while others slated for minor places may lose out altogether.

Governor Bradley and staff left to-day for Chickamauga, where they go to visit the Kentucky soldiers now there. They will stop at Lexington to see the first regiment, which is still there.

## Obituary.

June 4, David Beard, the son and only child of William E. Graves, died, aged five months and ten days. In this instance, as in numerous others, it would seem that the early victims of death are the choicest flowers that bud and bloom in the garden of mortality. But Heaven would not be Heaven without little children there. Jesus says, "for of such is the Kingdom of God."

"This lovely bud, so young and fair Called hence by early doom, Just came to show how fair a flower In Paradise would bloom,

Funeral services by Rev. Arthur Roberts; assisted by Rev. W. K. Piner, at the house Sunday, June 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brooker entertained Friday night at their home at Fourth and Crittenden street in honor of Miss Virginia Ritchie Burnett, of Hopkinsville, and Miss Jean Moore Carter, of Aberdeen, Mississippi. The style of the entertainment was a library party and was as unique and interesting as it was pleasant and enjoyable.—Owensboro Inquirer.

Gov. Halcomb has formally announced the officers of the Third Nebraska regiment: W. J. Bryan, Colonel Commanding; Gen. Victor Viquain, Lieutenant Colonel; Dr. D. R. Mercer, Surgeon. The date of muster and final assignment of the regiment awaits orders from the War Department. It is believed Col. Bryan will be assigned to duty in the Philippines, as far from the United States as possible.

The rebels are closing in on Manila and the city is likely to fall into Dewey's hands before the troops arrive.

## A HERO DEAD.

The Commander of the Olympia Dies at Sea.

Capt. Charles V. Gridley, commander of the cruiser Olympia, and one of the heroes of the brilliant victory at Manila, is dead. The announcement of his death was received by the navy department in a cablegram from Paymaster Galt, of the navy, dated at Kobe, Japan, June 4, and directed to Secretary Long. The dispatch contained this simple statement: "Capt. Gridley died to-day. Remains accompany me on the Coptic."

Capt. Gridley is the first American officer of great prominence whose death is a direct result of the existing war with Spain. As the commander of Admiral Dewey's splendid flagship and one of the admiral's chief advisers, Capt. Gridley achieved distinction at the battle of Manila bay and added to his previous laurels by winning high praise from his superiors in the service for distinguished gallantry and ability. It was not known for several weeks after the engagement that Capt. Gridley had suffered from it; and even now the precise nature of his trouble is not disclosed. Upon the arrival of the Zafiro at Hong Kong on May 20 the navy department was notified that Capt. Gridley had been condemned by a board of medical survey and "invalided" home.

## DAILY MARKET REPORT.

Corrected Daily By Ben Rawlins, Banker and Broker, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Chicago Market.			
	Op'g	Hig't	Closing
Cash Wheat			1 05
July Wheat	86	87 1/2	75 3/4
Sept. Wheat	74 3/4	76 1/4	78 3/4
July Corn	31 3/4	32 1/4	31 3/4
Sept. Corn	32 1/4	32 3/4	32 1/2
July Oats	23	23 1/4	23
July Pork	10 10	10 25	10 20
July Lard	5 90	5 92	5 90
July Ribs	5 57	5 62	5 62

New York Stocks and Cotton.			
	Op'g	Hig't	Closing
Aug. Cotton	6 42	6 43	6 43
A. M. Tob.	1 09 1/2	1 09 1/2	1 09 1/2
Chicago Gas	1 03 1/2	1 03 1/2	1 02 3/4
C. B. & Q.	1 05 1/2	1 05 1/2	1 04 1/2
L. & N.	56 1/2	56 1/2	55 1/2
Manhattan	1 05 1/2	1 05 1/2	1 04 1/2
Sugar	1 44 1/2	1 44 1/2	1 43 1/2
Coal & Iron	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Puts 7 1/2; Calls 80, on Sep. Wheat.			

Chicago Receipts To-day.	
Wheat	149 Cars
Corn	1221 Cars
Oats	291 Cars
Hogs	2200

Hog Market.	
Hogs To-morrow	22000
Light	410
Mixed	420
Rough	400
Heavy	425

Total Clearances All Ports.	
Wheat and Flour Exp.	651,000 bus.
Sept. wheat, puts 7 1/2; calls 76 1/2.	

## Hopkinsville Produce Market.

Cash prices paid by Hopkinsville merchants:

Bacon—	
Hams—country	7 1/2 @ 10c
Shoulders	4 1/2 @ 8 1/2c
Sides	6 @ 8c
Lard	5 1/2 @ 7 1/2c

Country Produce—	
Butter	16 @ 20c
Eggs	12 1/2c
New feathers	30 @ 32c
Beeswax	20 @ 22c
Tallow	3c
Ginseng, per lb.	\$2 @ 2.25
Honey	10c
Tub-washed wool	28 @ 30c
Greased	18 @ 20c
Burry wool	10 @ 14c

Poultry—	
Old chickens, live, per lb.	5 1/2 @ 6c
Roosters	2 1/2c
Turkeys, per lb.	6c
Ducks	4c

Grain—	
Clover, per bushel	\$3
Oats, home grown, per bu.	35 @ 38c
Corn	35c
Wheat	95c

Live stock—	
Hogs	\$3 @ 3.50
Sheep	\$2 50 @ 3.50
Cattle	\$2.50 @ 4
Calves	\$3.50 @ 4

Hides and Furs—	
Green hides	6 @ 7c
Green salted hides	8c
Dry flint	10 @ 12c

Vegetables—	
New potatoes, per bushel	75c
Cabbage, per head	5 @ 10c

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